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Mark Benton
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Re: 1915 (c) Waiver Application/Technical Amendment

Dear Mark,

The Division of MH/DD/SAS is submitting a technical amendment to our current CAP-MR/DD waiver under the authority of section 1915 (c) of the Social Security Act. This technical amendment will address the transition from local approval of CAP-MR/DD plans of care to authorization of services through Value Options. In addition, several programmatic issues have been addressed through this technical amendment and are identified in the attached table of contents page. This amendment will serve individuals who are legal residents of all North Carolina counties except for those who reside in the following North Carolina counties: Cabarrus, Davidson, Rowan, Stanly, and Union counties. The Piedmont Innovations Waiver will serve individuals in these five counties.

Enclosed you will find a table of contents describing changes in Appendices A, B, D, and E, Appendix G, Financial Documentation, and an attachment entitled *Services and Supports Provided by Legally Responsible Individuals, Relatives, and Legal Guardians*.

If you require any additional information please contact Leza Wainwright at leza.wainwright@ncmail.net or call her at 733-7011.

Sincerely,

Mike Moseley

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DMH/DD/SAS Waiver Team

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